

WEALTH OF HAIR

Chas. Rhodes Has the Preparation That Grows Hair, Stops Dandruff and Makes Hair Gloriously Radiant

Money back says Chas. Rhodes if Parisian Sage doesn't eradicate all dandruff, stop splitting hair, falling hair and scalp itch, and put life and lustre into the hair of an man, woman or child.

And Parisian Sage is so pleasant and refreshing. No cheap perfume odor to carry around all day, no disagreeable concoction that disgusts the senses, but a daintily perfumed tonic that approves its goodness the first time you use it.

Baldness and faded hair are both caused by dandruff germs and causes the hair to grow abundantly.

Large bottle for 50 cents at Chas. Rhodes' Drug Store and druggists everywhere.

ELM HALL

Delbert Hicks was in Merrill Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Rings and son Charles are visiting her sister, Mrs. Dora Bodine at Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Loeb of Canton, Ohio, are visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver.

Chas. Warner and wife of Hamburg are visiting Chas. Elliott and family.

George Bailey and wife visited Mrs. Alice Butcher last week.

F. M. Martin and son Clarence went to Reed City, Monday, on business.

John Hall is driving a 1911 model Maxwell.

Boulah Bryant has returned to Big Rapids and is taking a librarian course.

Mrs. Ethel Saunders of Detroit is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Swartout of Belding visited her father, Dr. E. Wilson.

Florian and Sumner Hoxie went to Crystal, Monday evening.

George Converse and family went to Crystal Monday to visit Mrs. Converse's sister, and celebrate the Fourth.

Cecil and Vera Ward spent the Fourth at Crystal.

O. G. Tuttle and wife of Ithaca called at T. J. Blair's, Tuesday.

John Swigart of Alma was in town Tuesday on business.

Floyd Follick and wife and Frank Clapper and wife went to Crystal, Tuesday evening.

Delbert Hicks was in St. Louis the Fourth.

Dr. Shaffer and wife were in Alma, Tuesday.

Carl Blair and Eddie Smith went to Bass Lake, Tuesday.

Chas. Elliott and family, Chas. Warner and wife, Fred Elliott and family spent the Fourth at Bass Lake.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHEENEY & CO.,

Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNE & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for Constipation.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Alma, Michigan, July 3, 1911. Advertiser list for the week ending July 1, 1911.

Mrs. Eva Blakesley
Mr. S. D. Collins
Mrs. Blanche B. Edwards
Mr. J. Glenn
Mr. I. E. Metzger
Miss Dorothy Willoughby

The above if not called for will be sent to the Dead Letter Office July 17, 1911.

C. F. BROWN, P. M.

OSBORN TO "FIRE" STATE OFFICERS

CERTAIN RECESS APPOINTEES OF EX-GOV. WARNER ARE TO BE THE VICTIMS.

CLEAN SWEEP AT SOME OF THE STATE INSTITUTIONS.

Attorney-Gen'l Advises Governor He Has Power to Take Such Action as Appointments Are Good Only Until Legislature Adjourns.

Gov. Osborn is about to go out on the war path again. This time, it is said, about 20 appointees of the former administration will be discharged. The interim appointees, the ones placed during the time the legislature was not in session, are the ones that will go.

The action of the governor, it is understood, will be under an opinion from Attorney General Kuhn, which is to the effect that such appointments are good only until the legislature adjourns, after the expiration of the legislative session the places being held subject to the will of the governor.

It is understood that not all of these interim appointees will be removed, but it is known that in some cases the governor intends to make a clean sweep of the boards of control of certain state institutions. In some cases the appointees will be advised that they have lost their places because they are supporting others in methods of administration which are not approved by the governor, and in other cases because the governor does not approve of the course which the board members themselves are pursuing. Some of the recess appointments will not be disturbed for the reason that the men are doing faithful work, in the eyes of the chief executive.

During the closing days of the Warner administration there was a general bustle on the part of all of the appointments possible before the new administration took hold, and some of these are ones that will now be given the administration ax.

Baptists to Get Legacy of \$70,000.

The Michigan Baptist convention at Port Huron, the headquarters of which is in Detroit, will have permission to pay the specific legatees under the will of Frederick Saunders, who died about 10 years ago. He provided that the Baptist convention be residuary legatees. The specific legatees have been paid about 60 per cent of their legacies, and the order is to allow the convention to expedite the receipt of the residue by allowing them to pay the specific legatees. An order allowing the convention to pay the legatees has been entered in probate court. The Saunders estate was valued at about \$90,000, of which the Baptists will get about \$70,000.

Grain Elevator Burns at Battle Creek.

Fire this morning destroyed the McNamee, Swift & Co. grain elevator, which was the largest in Battle Creek, with a loss estimated anywhere from \$50,000 to \$100,000. The blaze started in the grain room, and spread with such rapidity that though four engine companies were quickly on the ground, the structure could not be saved. The elevator contained 15,000 bushels of corn and some wheat, and had just been cleaned up, the end of the company's fiscal year. The building and grain were partly insured.

Michigan Gets Big Chautauqua.

Harry Harrison, treasurer and business manager of the Redpath Lyceum bureau, is in Leland, completing arrangements for the establishment of the largest vacation colony of actors, lecturers and entertainers in the United States. The Redpath company already has purchased 500 acres of land along the shore of Lake Michigan and Lake Leelanau at this resort, and late this fall or early next spring work will be begun on houses and cottages. A big chautauqua is planned.

Angell Now U. S. Judge.

Alexis Caswell Angell is now United States district and circuit judge for the eastern district of Michigan. He took the oath of office in Detroit in the presence of an assemblage of local judges and lawyers that crowded the larger district courtroom to the doors. Carrie S. Davidson, clerk of the court, who administered the oath, is the only woman in the history of the United States court to claim that honor.

Judge John S. McDonald of Grand Rapids struck a blow at the blind pigs masquerading under the name of clubs when he sentenced Cornelius Koch, a bartender, to pay a fine of \$150. Koch served drinks at the Pickwick club, a former saloon which was not granted a license at Reed's Lake, but has continued to do business since May 1. Judge McDonald gave warning that the next violation of the liquor license law brought before him would receive a straight jail sentence.

Already Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale has received from the 1911 sale of motor car and chauffeur's licenses \$76,000. All last year it was \$73,000.

After a campaign of two years the officials of Kalamazoo college announced that the additional \$100,000 had been raised, which makes the local college the most richly endowed institution in Michigan. The endowment follows the offer of the Baptist church in New York to give the college \$25,000, if it would raise \$75,000 additional. The addition of this fund raises the endowment of the college to over a half-million.

WOLGAST KNOCKS OUT MORAN.

Great Crowd Sees Michigan Fighter Defend Lightweight Title.

The lightweight title will remain in America. Champion Ad Wolgast of Cadillac, Mich., successfully maintained his right to the title by knocking out Owen Moran, Briton, in the thirteenth round at San Francisco.

The method of attack used by the victor was essentially as he declared. He turned his entire attention to the body of his opponent and sapped his strength by repeated blows to kidneys and stomach. He intermingled them with cuts to face and head. The first few rounds were rather even.

Two Hurt in Muskegon.

As a result of premature explosion of fireworks at Lake Michigan park, Muskegon, where thousands of people were congregated late Tuesday night, Helen Baker, 20, and Miss Maida Medema, 22, were injured by the rush of crowd to safety. Ray Studebaker, 14, may lose the sight of both his eyes. Over a score of others were badly hurt. The women are in a serious condition.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle—Good cattle steady. Poor kinds 10c lower. Best dry fed steers and heifers \$5.00 to \$5.10; choice steers and heifers 1.00 to 1.20; mixed butchers \$4.50 to \$5.25; mixed butchers' fat cows \$3.00 to \$4.50; canners \$1.75 to \$2.75; common butchers \$3.00 to \$3.50; good shipper's bulls \$4.00 to \$4.50; good well-bred feeders \$4.75 to \$4.85; stockers \$3.25 to \$4.00.

Veal calves—Market dull at last week's prices. Best grades, \$7.75 to \$8.25; others, \$1.00 to \$1.50. Milch cows and springers \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Sheep and lambs—Good lambs steady. Common lambs and sheep lower. Best lambs \$7; fair to good lambs \$6.50; fair to good butchers' sheep \$2.75 to \$3.25; culls and common \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Hogs—Market slow and 15 to 25c lower, according to prices bid. Range of prices bid light to good butchers, \$6.30 to \$6.40; pigs, \$6.15 to \$6.25; light Yorkers, \$6.30 to \$6.40; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO—Cattle steady. Best 1,350 to 1,600-lb steers, \$6.40 to \$6.55; good to prime 1,300 to 1,500-lb steers, \$6.15 to \$6.35; best 1,100 to 1,200-lb shipping steers, \$5.50 to \$6.10; medium butchers' steers 1,000 to 1,100-lb, \$5.10 to \$5.50; light butchers' steers, \$4.65 to \$5.25; fair to good cows, \$3.50 to \$4.25; common cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50; medium cows, \$2.50 to \$3.50; best fat heifers, \$5.25 to \$5.55; good fat heifers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; fair to good heifers, \$4.50 to \$5.00; best stock heifers, \$3.50 to \$4.50; common stock heifers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; best feeding steers, \$3.00 to \$3.50; common feeding steers, \$2.50 to \$3.00; best milkers \$4.75 to \$5.00; common milkers \$3.50 to \$4.00; good springers, \$2.00 to \$3.00.

Hogs—19 cars; slow; heavy and Yorkers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; pigs, \$6.30 to \$6.50; sheep—5 cars; steady; top lambs, \$7.25 to \$7.50; yearlings, \$6.50 to \$7.00; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; ewes, \$5.00 to \$5.50. Calves—\$4.50 to \$5.50.

Grain, Etc.

WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$8.85; July opened without change at \$8.85, lost 1-4c and advanced to \$8.87; September opened at \$9.10, advanced 1-4c, declined 1-2c to \$9.08; December opened at \$9.10, advanced 1-4c, declined 1-2c to \$9.08; No. 1 white, \$9.00; No. 2 white, \$8.85.

BEANS—Immediate shipment, \$2.05 bid; prompt July and October shipment, \$2.03 bid; November shipment, \$1.98 bid; December shipment, \$1.93 bid.

GREEN SEED—Prime spot, \$9.50; October, \$8.75; March, \$8.80; prime white, \$9.00; August white, \$8.75.

FEED—In 100-lb sacks: jobbing lots; Bran, \$7; coarse middlings, \$2.50; fine middlings, \$2.50; cracked corn, \$2.50; coarse cornmeal, \$2.25; corn and oat chop, \$2.00 per ton.

FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$4.00; ordinary patent, \$4.00; straight, \$4.00; clear, \$4.75; pure rye, \$5.75; spring patents, \$5.65 per bbl in wood.

Farm Produce.

GREEN CROPS—60¢ per doz. CABBAGE—New, 2.75 to 3.25 per crate. HONEY—Choice to fancy comb, 16¢ to 17¢ per lb. NEW POTATOES—Southern, \$5.25 to 5.50 per bbl. DRESSED CALVES—Fancy, 10¢ to 12¢; choice, \$9.00 to 10¢; 10¢ to 12¢; choice, \$8.00 to 9¢ per lb. POTATOES—Michigan, car lots, 70¢ to 80¢; store lots, \$5.00 to 6.00 per bbl. NEW MAPLES—Pure, 10¢ to 12¢ per lb; syrup, 75¢ to 80¢ per gal. TOMATOES—\$1.25 to 1.50 per 4-basket crate; house tomatoes, 15¢ to 20¢ per lb. LIVE POULTRY—Broilers, 20¢ to 21¢; hens, 12¢; old roosters, 10¢; turkeys, 14¢ to 15¢; geese, 8¢ to 9¢; ducks, 12¢ to 13¢ per lb. CHEESE—Michigan, old, 17¢, new 13¢ to 14¢; York, 12¢ to 14¢; Swiss, 16¢ to 18¢; imported Swiss, 25¢ to 31¢; cream brick, 13¢ to 14¢; Limburger, 12¢ to 13¢ per lb. EGGS—Receipts, 67¢ cases; market firm; current receipts, cases including 1-4c per doz. Butter, market steady; extra creamery, 13¢; 21¢; dairy, 17¢; packing, 16¢ per pound.

Fruits.

APPLES—New, \$1.75 to 2 per box. CHERRIES—\$1.25 per 16-quart case. GOOSEBERRIES—\$1 per 16-quart case. CURRANTS—Red, \$1.25 per 16-quart case. BLACKBERRIES—\$1.25 to 1.50 per 16 quart case. HUCKLEBERRIES—\$1.25 to 1.50 per 16-quart case. RASPBERRIES—Red, \$4.00 to 4.50 per bu; black, \$1.50 per 16-quart case. MELONS—Watermelons, 35¢ to 50¢ each; Rocky Ford, \$2.25 to 3 per crate. STRAWBERRIES—Home-grown, \$3.75 to 4 per bu.

Vegetables.

Asparagus, 90¢ to \$1 per doz; beets, new, 25¢ to 30¢ per doz; carrots, 25¢ per doz; cauliflower, \$1.75 per doz; cucumbers, house, 65¢ to 80¢ per doz; Florida celery, \$3.25 to 3.50 per case; eggplant, \$1.50 to 2 per doz; green onions, 12¢ to 15¢ per doz; green peppers, 75¢ per basket; green beans, \$1.75 to 2 per bu; head lettuce, \$1.75 per bu; mint, 25¢ per doz; parsley, 20¢ to 25¢ per doz; radishes, 12¢ to 15¢ per doz; turnips, new, 25¢ to 30¢ per doz; watercress, 25¢ per doz; wax beans, \$1.75 to 2 per bu; green peas, \$2.75 to 3 per bu.

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For further particulars inquire

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BIG SHOW IS COMING

Forepaugh and Sells Bros.' Enormous Shows to Exhibit Here.

The Great Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Shows will exhibit in Alma on Thursday, July 20. This announcement is made officially today and will be received with much rejoicing.

It is now several seasons since this most popular of all tented shows has included this city in its itinerary. It will be welcomed with all the more eagerness because of its long absence. It is well understood that it means a circus day vastly more important than has fallen to our lot for many a moon. This circus is considered by those familiar with the show business as the largest of its kind. While other shows have stood still it has steadily advanced. Its size is far in excess of those that have claimed to be its superior.

The best news of all is the fact that people are to see something entirely different from anything that has ever been done by amusement purveyors. The management set an army of skilled artists and designers to work late last fall to construct an entirely new equipment for their organization. They disposed of everything they possessed but their matchless name. They even sold their menagerie to smaller shows and ordered their European agents and animal hunters to secure without regard to expenses, every strange animal under the sun, with the particular instructions, however, to ship nothing ever exhibited in an American menagerie before. The foreign agents were also given orders to choose from among the greatest performers in Europe and Asia, the 350 best artists that money could hire.

When in the early spring the bills came in for all this vast amount of work, the management found they had expended in round numbers \$3,200,000. But they were well satisfied when they inspected their new outfit and menagerie and witnessed rehearsals of their many European acts. The tents, the poles, the seats and the draft wagons are the only part of the outfit that were made in this country.

The effect of all this splendor, suddenly disclosed before the eyes of those who have been attending other circus entertainments, is almost blinding. When the wonderful new parade goes through the streets, spectators find themselves wondering if it is indeed earthly circus pageantry, so different is it from what they have seen in the past. If it had dropped from the clouds it could scarcely be more novel and beautiful in appearance.

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ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

At High School Monday, July 10th, 1911, at 8:00 p. m. Election of officers and transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it. The proposition of a new school building will be discussed.

C. Rhodes, Secretary.

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Cures Catarrh of Womb (Leucorrhea) and Every Form of Pile Trouble.

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Occasional attacks of backache, irregular urination, headaches or dizzy spells are common early symptoms of kidney disorders. It's an error to neglect these ills. The attacks may pass off for a time but return with greater intensity. If there are symptoms of dropsy—puffy swellings below the eyes, bloating of limbs and ankles, or any part of the body, don't delay a minute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and keep up the treatment until the kidneys are well, when your old time health and vigor will return. Cures in Alma prove the effectiveness of this great kidney remedy.

William J. Washburn, 812 Pine Ave., Mich., says "Doan's Kidney Pills have always helped me and for that reason I can recommend them strongly. I had kidney trouble for years and was obliged to get up often at night to pass the kidney secretions. A dull pain in the small of my back caused me no end of misery and there was an extreme lameness all through my loins. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved all these troubles and benefited me in every way. I always keep a supply of this remedy in the house as I consider it the best one to be had for kidney disorders."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

ATTENTION READERS

Commencing Monday, August 1st, Miller Bros., the grocers, will open their store at 6:00 o'clock a. m. sharp, and continue open until 6:30 p. m., which hour the store will close. The only exception to the above will be Saturday evenings at which time the store will remain open as late as necessary to accommodate the trade.

This means we work 13½ hours five days in the week and as many as necessary Saturday. We believe our traders realize that it is unnecessary to keep open fifteen to eighteen hours per day.

Yours for business, MILLER BROS., The Grocers.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

ON

Sunday, July 16

TO

DETROIT

Train will leave Alma at 7:48 a. m. Returning, leave Detroit at 6:30 p. m.

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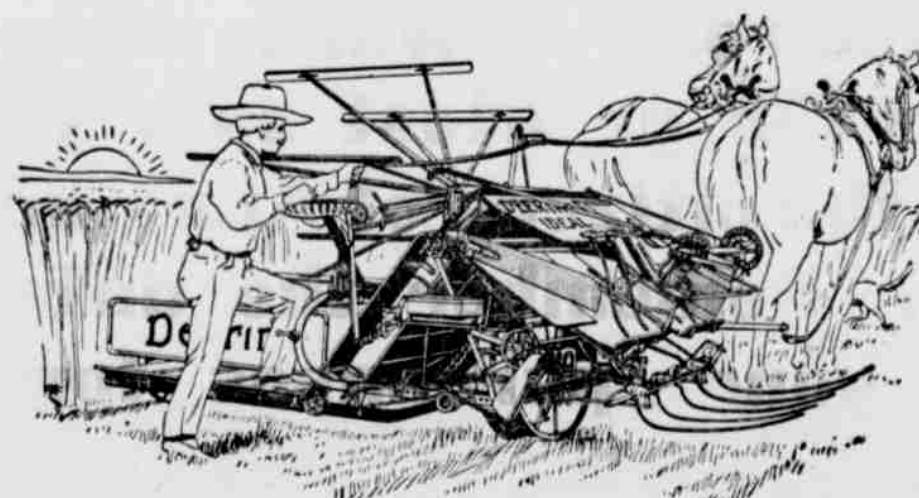
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